

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re application of | : | Attorney Docket No. 2006_1352 |
| Noriyoshi MUNENAGA et al. | : | Confirmation No. 1458 |
| Serial No. 10/583,583 | : | Group Art Unit 1729 |
| Filed June 19, 2006 | : | Examiner Stephen J. Yanchuk |
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action dated August 3, 2011, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and further examination of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks. A Request for Continued Examination is filed concurrently herewith.